IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

6122 Confirmation No.: Konieczna, et al. In re Application of:

Jake Minh Vu Examiner: 10/564,148 Serial No.:

1618 Group Art Unit: November 9, 2006 Filing Date:

PHARMACEUTICAL FORMULATION COMPRISING For:

LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM

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RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement Official Action sent electronically on notification date May 6, 2008, for which the period for response expires on June 6, 2008. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time to extend the response period up to and including July 6, 2008. Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-1392. An early examination of the application on the merits is earnestly solicited.

As set forth in more detail in the Remarks section, Applicants elect with traverse Group I and have amended the claims to cancel non-elected subject matter. Applicants may file one or more divisional applications to the non-elected subject matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.